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ALLEGOAD TIME TABLE.

O CEAT JACKSON KOUTE. TURISOIS CENTRAL BAILBOAD. scor May 21, 1886, trains will leave

No. 1, at 3:37 am No. 2, at 3:22 pm No. 4, at 3:27 pm No. 4, at 3:22 pm No. 4, at 3:22 pm No. 4, at 3:22 pm No. 5, at 3:20 pm No. 6, at 3:20 pm No. 8, at 10:40 am No No. 7 of 2:40 pm No. 8, at 10:40 am No. 7 of 2:40 pm No. 8, at 10:40 am No. 1, at 10:40 am No. 1; at 10:40 a

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R. Trains leave Milan as follows on and after

PASSENGER TRAINS. 1:13 am 12:45 pm 2:15 pm 1:47 am No. 1. south, leaves at .. No. 2 north.

Ar McKenzie 11:45 m 12:15 pm v Nashville EAST BOUND.

er McKennie 3:05 pm Ar Nashville 7:40 pm 2:35 am 7:05 aus O. F. CANTWELL, Agent,

CITY DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

E. N. Stone, Mayor.
W. B. Bryant, City Marshal.
R. B. Mitchum, J. H. Blankinship, R. F.
faun, R. E. Edwards, G. W. Harrison and
D. A. Pavier, Aldermen.

CHURCHES.

Bartist—Church attest. J. P. Weaver, passar. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting Weilnesday evening Sunday sensol 9 am.

Mathodist—North Main street E. B. Graham, pastor. Preaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Sunday school 9 am.

Cum section Proshyterian—South Main st. D. Lavis, pastor. "reaching every Sunday morning and evening. Prayer meeting. Tuesday evening. Sunday school 9 am. CHURCHES.

Mitan Lodge, No. 191-Josiah Claybroak, W. M.; A. R. Edwa ds. Suretary. Meets lat Monday night in each month.

Liberty Lodge No. 453-W. to Vanhook. Dictator: T D Jackson, Rep. rter, Lodge meets frat and third Fri bay nights in each month.

Prospero Lodge, No. 24-H. W. Loving, P. C. W. Y. Williams on, K. P. S. Meets every Phurs lay night.

Stanswall Lodge, No. 30-A. Chambers M. V. M. D. L. Jordan Recorder, Meets third ad four. Fridg: nights. K and L. of H.

Eagle Lodge, No. 96-Meets first and thir-donday nights it each month. S. H. Hale, F.; W.A. Wade, Secretary.

AGRICULTU TAL WHEEL. Gibson County Wheel meets the first Thursdays in January. April, July and October. L. W. Pitman, Pres., M. B. Johnson, Sec., I. W. Pitman, Pres., M. B. Johnson, Sec., Rutherford. Wallant Grove, No. 55, meets Saturdays be fore the first and third Snudays in each south. L. W. Pitman, Pres., J. R. McCoy,

No. 63 meets the 1st and 3d Saturdays in each month. S. H. Hughes, President. J. W. Thomas, ir., Secretary.
Pratt's, No. 79, meets on Saturday before the ind moon neach month. J. M. Pratt Pres.
T. J. Lassenberry, Sec.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Messrs. Verner & Co., Agents:

This is to certify that I have ex amined the Walter A. Wood Machines and consider them the simplest in construction of any I have ever seen Have been a practical machinist, having served an apprenticeship in Lane & Bodley's machine shop at Cincin J. A. TYLER. unti, Ohiv.

I have used the Walter A. Wood Mower for several years, and take great pleasure in recommending it to any one wanting a first-class lightrunning machine. I don't think it has any superior. J. R. HARRISON.

Buds, Blossoms and Roses. A besatiful full line of White

Goods, plain thin and plaids for picnies and school exhibitions. Trimmings to match. CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE.

Slip, Slipper, Slippery. Shippers of all kinds, Beads, Straps,

Bows and Phin Opers, high and low heels. All sizes for the baby, big eis., and mama. CHAMBERS' CASH HOUSE

"All is not gold that glitters." Bolid

bargains for all the people, 10 yards Ginghams, 50 cents. Do not fail to of the senson. Woolen Check Dress Goods 15 cents per yard. Worth 20 OWENACO

One Man to Cut Them Off and another to K Il Them Up.

It takes very little talk to sell real nice and cheap things. Out pretty Styles and Colors talk for themselves CHAMBERS CASH HOESE.

SMALL CHANGE.

Strawberries and cream.

Conseherries are large emugh to make tarts of.

For the latest general news, see the eighth page. Strawberries retail here at twenty-

five cents per quart, The broom factory has been moved

I the old compress building.

Mr. Rankin has improved his resi dence this spring very considerably.

Repair work has been done on the brick walk leading to the college this

About one thousand old newspapers at this office will be sold very cheap.

Kuights and Ladies of Honor are reminded that the April assessments town, and with this addition, no doubt are now due.

Our people are now about ripe for a building and been association. Who will take the lead?

A fruit drummer paid six dollars per case for strawberries on the platform here lest Thursday.

The Wheelers of Carroll and Gitson counties had a big s, eaking an I. dinner at Esquire Denny's yesterday.

We spent a pleasant half-day at Bradterd last Sunday, where we feasts ed on strawbernes and other good things.

The Methodists need a new church badly. They ought to secure a lot before prices advance, and build as soon as possible.

A light frost was visible here last Sunday morning. The gool weather all this week has kept the scrawberry crop from ripening rapidly.

The prohibitionists of this county speak of organizing for the campaign. It is necessary to get out a full vote. There is little if any opposition,

The first shipment of strawberries was made from here last. Wednesday by Mr. W. J. Spellings. By next week they will be moving lively.

A special post office inspector was here Thursday, when he looked over the books and business of the office. He found everything " as straight as a shingle "

Farmers say they need rain. Nearly everything has been planted during the fine weather, and now rain and warm sunshine are needed to start things to growing.

A sleight of hand performer gave entertainments at Primary Hall fuesday and Wednesday nights to fair audiences. A part of the proceeds went into the school fund,

a meeting last Saturday, when several new members were enrolled. They discussed matter sof interest to themselves, and not for the public. Our readers are hereby reminded

The local fruit growers' society held

that Milan merchants who advertise now have the finest and prettiest stocks of goods ever brought to this market, and prices are lower than ever

The mocking bird now sings all day and all night. We are fulled to sleep by his sweet music and are awakened by his gushing trills. He is certainly the king musician of the feathered tribe.

A substantial wire fence has just been built on the south side of the cemetery, and the other part has been repaired. Now let the lot owners call early and see the greatest bargain | clear up and decorate them, and Oakwood will be a thing of beauty.

> We have transferred our office and mail lists of subscribers to new books, and it is possible that errors have occurred. If any one fails to receive in Florence this week, and that town his paper, he will please notify us. when we will take pleasure in correcting all mistakes.

The doctors say there is now and has been less sickness in and around Miles during the past winterether has been known in years. They have hard scratching to make a liling, and some of them talk of leaving here.

Mr. R. E Edwards, accompanied by Henry Hawkins, colored, went out before day yesterday morning near the tank on the I. C. road, north of town, and killed a twenty-pound gobler, with beard ten inches long. Henry did the killing with Ban's gun; hence both claim the honora.

The Baptist choir has added a violin and two horns to the instrumental part of its make-up, and those who have heard them say their music is excellent. The choir of that church has long been considered the best in larger congregations will be attracted.

Bill Parker and Mon. Bell, both olored, had a difficulty last Saturday, when Parker ran Bell into a store, striking at him, it is said, with a knife. Parker was fined \$35 by Mayor Stone and locked up. Last Tuesday a warrant was sworn out by Bell and Parker was carried before E q. Jordan, who sent him to jail to await trial at the law court.

Lieut, Barbee, of the salvation army, preached on the street every night this week, and has had large and attentive crowds to hear him. We noticed a number of ladies in the audience Thursday night. He has a strong, clear, well-modulated voice, and could be distinctly heard by ten thousand people out of doors. Some of our citizens join with him in the exercises, but we have heard of no lunch is served daily.

converts yet. place, in the closing exercises of the city schools. From what we can gath er the recitations will be of a high order of merit, and the rehearsals of the scholars who are to participate gives promise of a most interesting occasion. The music is to consist of choruses, trios, etc. These exercises will be in the Baptist church on the evening of May 10th.

At a joint meeting of the board of education and the school directors last Monday, after careful consideration, they unanimously resolved to re elect Prof. C. Th. Kellogg superintendent of Milan public schools for the next year. It is proper to state that this action is in accord with the wishes of almost all our people. Prof. Kellogg found things in a chaotic state when he took charge last year, and now, by his tireless, strict and unremitting labor, we have as good a graded system of schools as any in the state. The children are prompt in their attendance, better in deportment, and are making much better progress in their studies than heretofore.

The symptoms of a boom for Milan continue favorable. The secretary of state a few days since registered a charter for the Tennessee Central and Alabama Railread Company. The incorporators are Horace Scott, W. T. Glasgow, Spl. Hill, W. L. Granberry, Jas. L. Guines, R. Z. Taylor and T. J. Happel. The proposed line is to rnn from Trenton, over the line and bed of the old Tennessee Central railroad to Milan, and thence to Florence, Ala; also going north from Trenton to the Mississippi river. This charter has also been registered in Trenton, and the people there are anxious for the road. We notice that immense sales of lots have taken place is on the biggest kind of a boom. The land company there have voted \$50,-000 to help build a road to Milan. get it.

PERSONAL.

Lawyer Hays, of Trenton, was in wn Thursday. Rev. T. F. Moore, of Jackson, was

in town Saturday. Percy Mitchum returned to Mem-

phis last Thursday. Will Hardy, of Newbern, visited

friends here this week. The good looking Fonnie Loving spent this week in Memphis.

Miss Elna Haun returned from a visit to Gibson Wednesday.

T. J. Williams, Esq., of Humboldt, called on us Thursday. cheriff, Parr and Mr. Pybas, of

Trenton, were in town Tuesday. Mr. T. B. Ruff, one of the proprietors of the State Wheel, was in town yesterday.

J. G. Pearce, southern manager of the Nichol and Shephard Co., dropped

in on us yesterday. Messrs. Root Hays, Ras. Hicks, Will Deason and C. T. Love, Jr. of Trenton, were in town last Monday.

Alderman Taylor and Ed. Lusk spent a day or two in Memphis this week. Dave says he didn't go to the

Mrs. Susan Rankin returned from Texas a few days since, where she had been visiting her daughter several

returned here last Thursday. will make this his home in the future. we understand.

Henry Blankinship can now be found at T. W. Caperton's saloonthe "Palace"-where a nice free

Harry Person returned from New Our citizens, we learn, are to have a York city last Thursday, after several doctors say Mr. Stivers will die. literary treat seldom enjoyed in this months absence. He has accepted a osition in the tonsorial parlor with his brother, Mr. J. R. Person. Misses Etta McDowell, Laura and

> Mattie Sharp, three of Humboldt's most charming young ladies, paid our city a pleasant visit last Sunday, Their sweet faces won the smiles of many of Milan's most fautastic dudes. Jackson Whig: Mr. T. E Askew, Miss Annie Donnell, a winsome young lady, both of the Spring Creek neighborhood, were married at the residence of the bride's father Wednes day evening, Rev. J. B. Haughton

officiating. Mr W. M. Hamilton, secretary of the Temple, Texas, fire department, has our thanks for an invitation to attend the twelfth annual session of the state firemen's association, to meet in that city may 11th. Mr. Hamilton is kindly remembered by many of our citizens.

We believe that every presbytery, association, conference, or other general religious meeting held in this state this spring has declared strongly in favor of prohibition. The religious people of the state are speaking out about this great matter, and their influence will be felt as the polls in September.

The Avalanche wants Lamar for vice president with Cleveland at the next election. A nobler, better man would be hard to find,

We have a high grade Jersey years ling heifer which we will sell for \$25 cash, or will exchange for a good nas tive milch cow. This proposition is open for two weeks only. Come quick if you want the prettiest and one of the finest beifers in town.

Gn to S. M. Rhodes' Tip Shop and ealt for Good Tin Ware and you will

RAILROAD ITEMS.

The L & N. car scales have been taken up for repairs.

Capt. Ellington, trainmaster of the I. C., was in town Thursday.

A large number of people passed here Monday, en route to federal court in Jackson. They were from the "meonshiner" counties.

A special train, with General Munager Jeffrey, Supt's Mann and Clarke, and the of directors of the I.C., passed here Monday, going north.

The inter-state commerce commission will meet in Memphis next week. A petition has been sent from here asking them to permanently suspend the long and short haul section.

Jackson Blade: The good looking Brown, of the Milan Southern Pacific hotel ticket office, is occupying the honorable position of ticket man at the I. C. during John Heaberg's ab-

sence at Kalamazoo, A special from Grenada, Miss., to the Avalanche of Thursday gives the following. Capt. Towler was formerly a conductor on the I. C. road, and is known by many of our readers. "Our town was thrown into considerable excitement to-day about 12 o'elock. Capt. W P. Towler, of this city, and traveling agent for Schmids & Zeigler, of New Grleans, shot and Mr. James Robinson, of Arkansas, fatally wounded Rev. C. F. Stivers, of the Episcopal church, in the side, in his (Towler's) own house. The causes are not known, as neither party has said anything about the affair, and Mr. Stivers, expecting to die, made a confession in which he stated that Capt. Towler was justifiable and he did not want him punished. The

A Kankakee dispatch of the 28th says: Mr. Carpenter, of Berlin, Garmany, made a trial trip vesterday with a train of thirty Illinois Central freight cars supplied with his air brake, the valves of which are worked by electricity. The run was over the Illinois Central track from Chicago to Kankakee and return. The dynamo is carried on the left side of the locoa prominent young gentleman, and motive. The instantaneous setting and unsetting of the brakes was perfect. The inventor supervised the building of the train at the Illinois Central Works, Chicago. This was the first trial of the invention in America, though it is widely used in Germany. The train is being prepared for exhibition at the convention of railroad officials at Burlington, Ia., on May 9 to test the various makes of

He is a Big Man and a Good One.

The high sheriff of the county was in to see us this week. We tendered him our store keys, but he said that everything was too nice and cheap For us to keep on selling goods and thers would be no langer of him bothering us. We thank him for his kind ness and ask him to call again. Selah. CHAM; ERS' CASH HOUSE.

Threshing Ma. hines.

The Nichol & Shepard Co. would be pleased to inform the public that they will have stocks of Engines and Threshers next week at Milan and Fulton, from which to supply their trale in West Tennessee and Kentucky Purchase. For full information address J G. PEARCE. Scuthern Manager,

A Smile All Around.

Milan, Tenn.,

We notice that a great many of our nice lady friends are wearing brighter smiles than usual Is it because they are using our fine French Kid Shoes? You should smile too.

CAHMBERS' CASH HOUSE. indies, Attention.

Owen & Co. have just received an elegant line of Silk Perasols, cheaper than ever effered before in Milan.